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Sir:

In response to the Patent Office Action dated January 4, 2007, a petition for a one month extension of time and fee accompanying this response, please enter the following in the above-identified application:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Applicant herein elects to prosecute claims 5-9 and 26 drawn to a titanium based ceramic composite.

Claims 10-24 drawn to a method of producing a coating have been withdrawn as being directed toward a non-elected invention.